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Rochester volunteers, numbering more than 20 men, are involved in a painting project on the First Congregational Church in Rochester Center. The men are aided in remarkable fashion by the use of cherry-picker cranes which enable them to roam instantly over the towering wall of the structure without the use of staging. This painting project will continue for a number of weekends and additional experienced painters are needed. It is estimated that this adventure in good fellowship will save the church \$2,000 to \$3,000. The Rev. Edward F. White, organizer and chairman of the project, has promised a victory banquet for all of the workers. This Sunday the pastor is dedicating his sermon to these

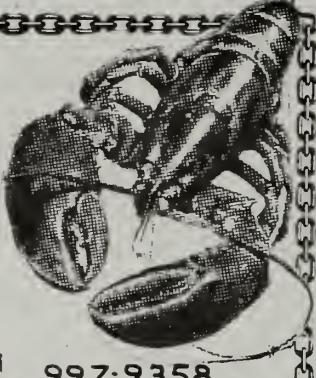


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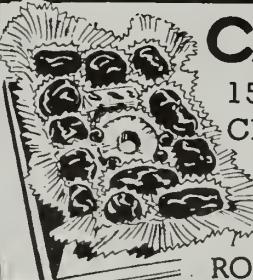
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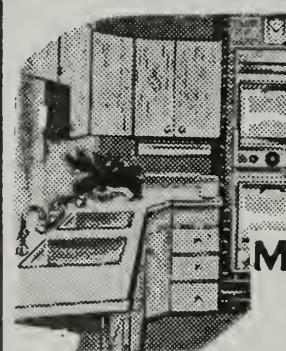


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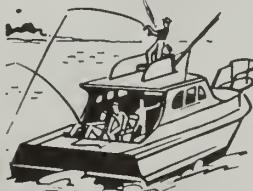
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\$2.40 Tax Increase

The State Department of Corporation and Taxation has approved a 1970 tax rate of \$44.00 per thousand, as set by the Board of Assessors, Mattapoisett.

This rate is an increase of \$2.40 over the 1969 rate, due to \$226,143.82 increase in the 1970 town budget.

The 1970 assessed valuation of the town is \$30,267.035.00.

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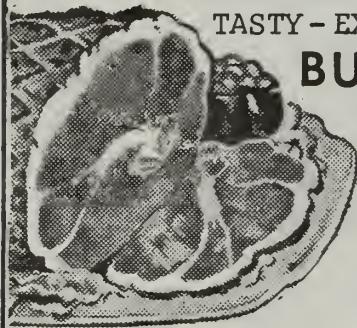
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Mr. and Mrs. McGraph arrived in San Francisco and spent about 10 days sightseeing across the United States before arriving in Mattapoisett. They toured Cape Cod and Plymouth on Monday before starting back to Australia.

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Volunteer workers, attired in costume, arrived at the Museum on Wednesday, May 6th, and combined a cleaning job with some fun. Shown above, left to right, are Mrs. Harry Locke, Mrs. Ruth Taylor, Mrs. H. C. Broadwater and Miss Dorothy Fox. Mrs. Locke is president of the Society and the latter three all won prizes in the costume judging. Mrs. Francis Rowland and Mrs.

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Lunch for the workers was supplied by Mrs. Frank Sylvia, Mrs. Norman Atkinson, Mrs. Roger Morris, Mrs. H. V. Banks, Mrs. Alden Kinney and Mrs. William Sylvia.

On Saturday, Robert Humphrey and a team of men volunteers cleaned the carriage shed to complete the chore of making the museum ready for the season.

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Editorial, D.C.J.

The causes come and go. Civil Rights, Peace, Ecology, Get Out of Viet Nam Now, Evacuate Cambodia - name your cause and you've got action. Each has sufficient merit to attract thousands of idealistic people. Each has nothing to do with the hidden purpose which is furnishing the leadership.

Television news programs continue to refer to the incident at Kent College in Ohio as murder of students engaged in an anti-war protest. This is a lie. The facts are shown in televised pictures. The mob was engaged in arson and assault with deadly weapons - rocks and spikes, when the tragedy occurred. Subsequent information that one of the bullets which was taken from the body of a slain student was not of military type has received no head-



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line. In fact it has hardly received mention. The fact is that Kent students were inflamed by professional agitators into criminal acts of civil insurrection in order to achieve the exact results that were obtained. The pattern which caused the closing of 1/6 of the colleges in the United States is emerging for most of us. Young students are being used. They are being used not to obtain justice in causes that have merit. This is just the bait to galvanize support. The underlying and nationwide purpose is to provoke and maintain a state of civil disobedience and contempt for our entire system of government. One sixth of the college students in the United States don't hate their system of government. Probably the vast majority would rather be studying and graduating in a quiet and normal manner. But the leaders of the cause have use for them. Their purpose for maintaining a state of revolt is not PEACE IN VIET NAM - not PEACE anywhere. The purpose of these trained leaders is war on the United States system and all who defend its Constitution. The leaders of this revolution have no scruples in the promotion of their ideology. They use whatever innocent pawns are at hand, effectively and expendably.

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St. Anthony's Couples Club is planning an informative and interesting evening for its members and guests, Saturday, May 16th. A roast turkey supper will begin at 8 in the church basement, and special guest, Miss Dorothy Fox will speak about some little

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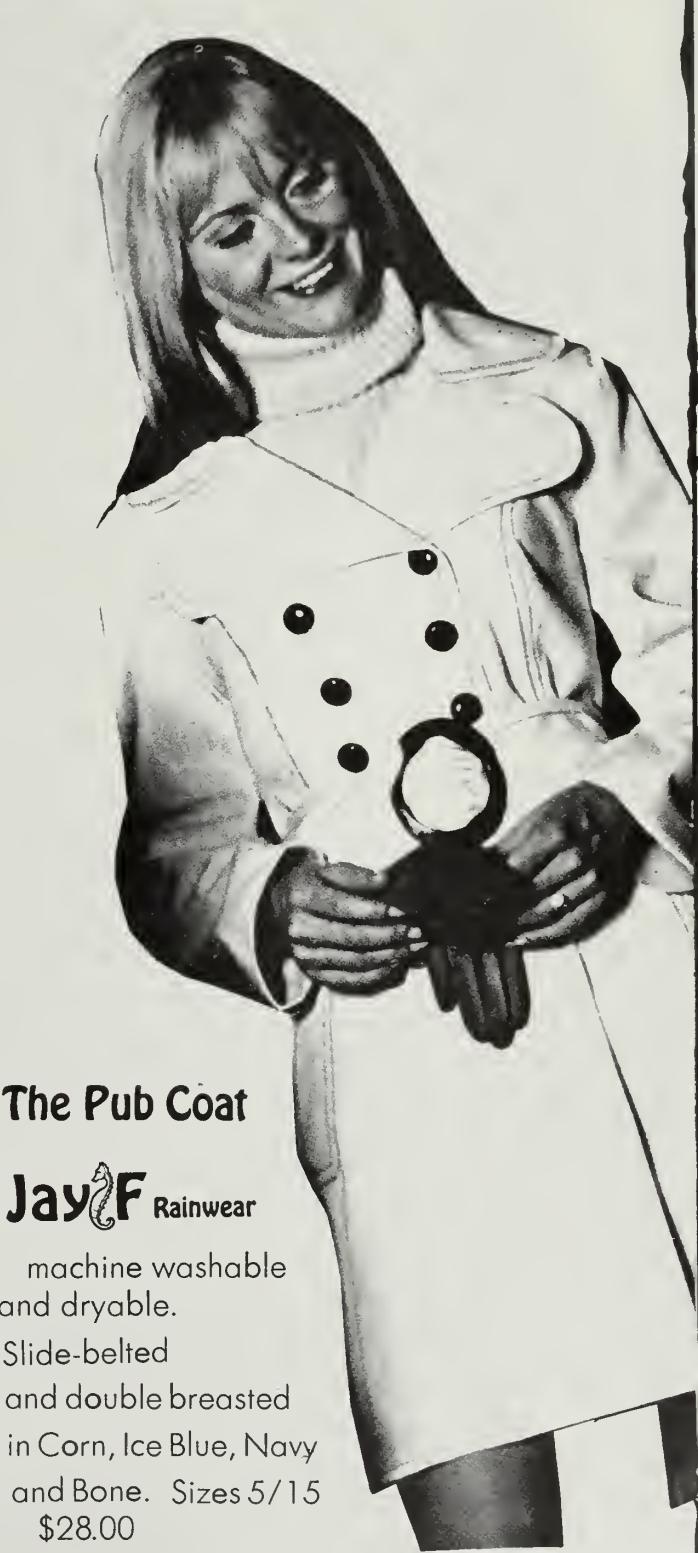
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known facts about our town's beginning. The yearly business meeting will take place in the Mattapoisett Historical Society in pews that families from the whaling industry used over a hundred years ago. Dessert and beverage will be served in the Carriage Shed after the nomination of officers.

Reservations may be made by calling Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fleming or Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie R. Price.

Communion Dinner

FATHER PAUL CANUEL TO BE SPEAKER

The Catholic Women's Club of Marion will hold their annual Communion Dinner on Tuesday, May 19th, at the Harbor Beach Club in Mattapoisett. The dinner, an annual affair, will be preceded by Mass at St. Rita's for the women and guests at 7 P.M. Celebrant will be Father Leonard Mullaney, spiritual advisor for the group.

The guest speaker at the dinner will be former curate at St. Rita's and spiritual advisor, for the group, Father Paul Canuel.

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MAY DAY

Tots at Winnatuxett are shown in photo as they celebrated the start of the Merry Month of May with a traditional dance. A near gale on Friday added an interesting twist but the children never faltered as they wove the streamers in the patterns of the dance. Mothers of the children served refreshments.

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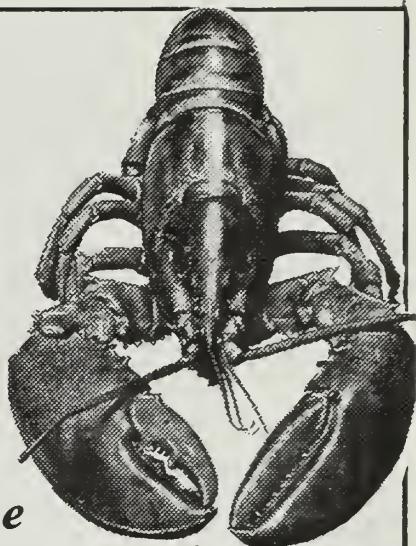
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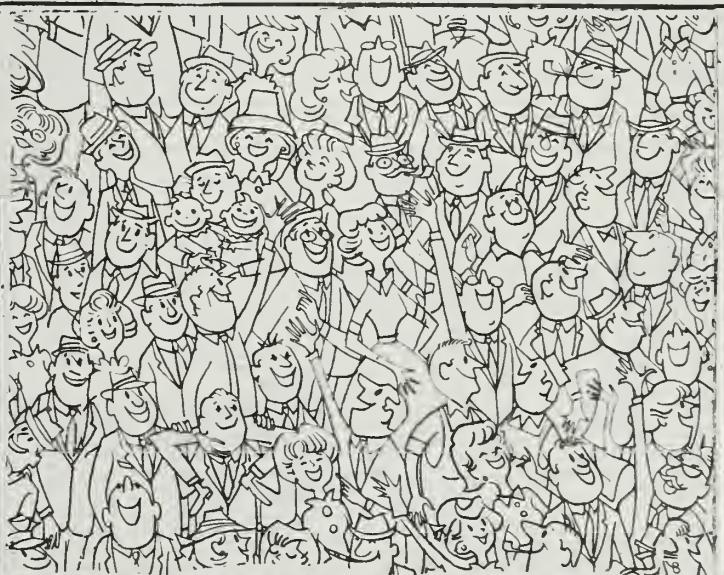
Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen have voted to have an elm on Cannon Street removed in answer to a petition by Mr. Robert Purrington. At a hearing held last Tuesday Mr. Purrington asked that the tree be removed because of damage that its roots are causing to the foundation of his home.

Mr. John Carlos, whose home is across the street, said that the branches strike his roof. A neighbor and the Conservation Commission opposed because the elm is alive and doesn't have dutch elm disease. Tree Warden, John Denham, said that the elm would have an estimate of 1 1/2 to 2 years more before it would be diseased. The elm will be removed in the latter part of July or the first of August.

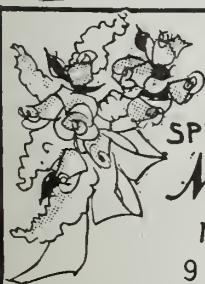
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nevertheless, this basically is not a political get-together. It is intended to be an evening of warm fellowship and good neighborliness. There will be no formal speeches, nor any declaration or proclamations. Those planning the event anticipate a congenial gathering of tri-town residents, including not only Republicans, but Democrats and Independents as well. To promote an atmosphere of informality and harmonious cheer, the Mattapoisett Town Committee is promising "Free Suds to the First One Hundred".

In charge of the event are Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Humphrey and Mr. Clifford D. Tripp. Mr. Frederick Underhill of Rochester, area State Committeeman, is arranging invitations to special guests. Mrs. Peter Perkins is Official Greeter and Mrs. Kathleen Lynch is in charge of the "Basket of Cheer". Mr. Matthew Simon is directing the disbursement of "The Suds". Mrs. James Gurney of Rochester is assisting with the publicity and Mr. Arthur Milhenc of Marion is supporting promotion of the special event in Marion.

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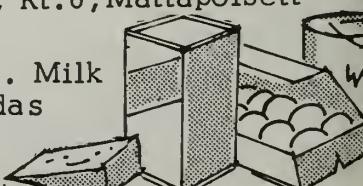
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On the alto recorder, Mrs. George Kilpatrick, and on the cello, Mrs. Charles Whalen, were accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Knox on the piano in playing an old selection by John Reid.

Mrs. Charles Adams and Mrs. John Ruzicka played 2 duets, first a Beethoven Sonata and second, the "Bicycle Race", followed by Mrs. Philip Murray singing "Let My Song Fill Your Heart" and "Smilin' Thru", accompanied on the piano by Mrs. James Hinman.

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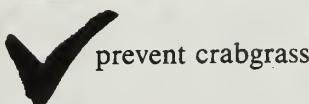
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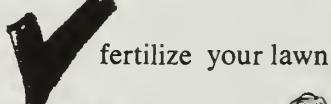


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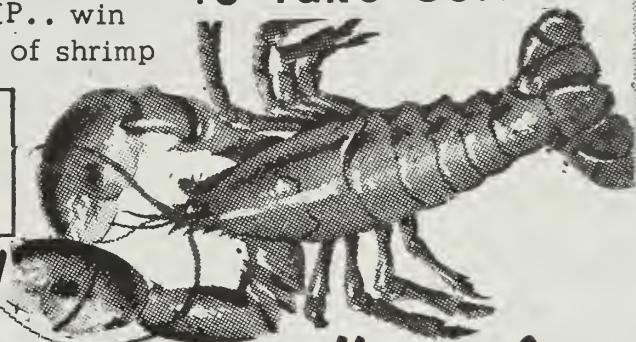
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M.Y.C. Evening Agenda

EVENING BOATING PROGRAM

The Mattapoisett Yacht Club announces a new evening program to supplement the summer sailing classes. These programs are designed to cover in depth subjects introduced in the daytime classes. They will be held every Wednesday evening during July and August in the MYC's newly decorated club-house. Refreshments will be served during a brief social hour.

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Girls' State

LOCAL GIRLS TO ATTEND GIRLS' STATE

Misses Marjorie Burnett of 8 Park Street, Marion and Janet Dorr of 34 Pine Island Road, Mattapoisett have been selected by Unit #280 of the American Legion Auxiliary as their representatives to the 26th Annual Massachusetts Girls' State to convene at Bridgewater State College June 13th to 20th. Misses Burnett and Dorr are members of the

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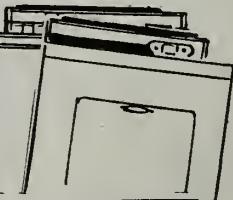
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May 16 and 23

The Miss Wareham Scholarship Pageant Committee announces this week that young women from the towns of Wareham, Marion, Middleboro, Mattapoisett and the Rochester area have made application to compete for the coveted 1970 title of Miss Wareham. Sponsored annually by the Wareham Area Chamber of Commerce, this year's contest will take place on Saturday, May 23rd, at the Wareham Town Hall. Rehearsals for the chorus and the contestants are now taking place on various evenings and Sunday afternoons along with the talented group of musicians that will accompany these contestants. The Apollo 4 will be taking an active part in the pageant as well as playing for the Dinner-Dance on the evening of May 16th. This will mark the first formal presentation of all the contestants, following the buffet. Pageant chairman Rita L. Blair will introduce the contestants and welcome those present.



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of Governor Livingston Regional High School and is presently attending Boston Conservatory of Music. The second young lady from Middleboro is Debra Jean Dugas, daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Dugas. She will graduate from Middleboro High School this June and plans to attend Keene State College, Keene, New Hampshire. The third contestant from Middleboro is Kathy Lee Bourne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bourne. She is a 1969 graduate of Middleboro Memorial High School and is now attending Bridgewater State College.

From Wareham is the very talented miss by the name of Karen Douglas. Karen graduated from Wareham High School in 1969 and is presently employed by the Wareham office of the New England Telephone Company.

Representing the Marion area is a senior at Old Rochester Regional High School, Sandra Jean Voss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Voss. Sandra would like to attend a Therapeutic Nursing School upon graduation.

Elizabeth M. King of Mattapoisett and the daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. George King, is a Junior at Lowell State College.

Another miss from Marion is Elizabeth Jean Pina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas R. Pina, who will graduate from Old Rochester Regional High School in June. Becky would like to attend St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing in the fall.



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The final contestant comes from the Middleboro area and is also attending Lowell State College. She is Nancy Ann French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. French, Jr.

These nine contestants will be competing for scholarships, honors, trophies and gifts awarded each year by the Chamber of Commerce.

Tickets for the Dinner-Dance may be purchased from members of the Chamber of Commerce or reservations made at Houle's Jewelry Store, Main Street, Wareham. This affair is open to the public and will enrich the Scholarship Fund of the Miss Wareham

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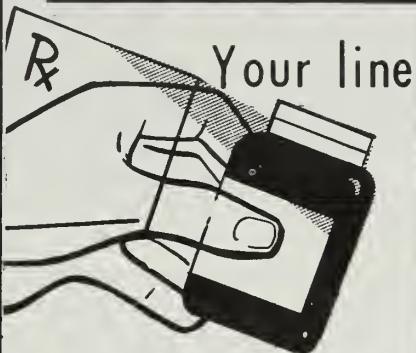
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The guest speakers were Father Gillespie of St. Anthony's parish, Mr. Rodger Twitchell from Old Rochester Regional and Mr. Jack Bills, a member of the Precinct Committee of the Congregational Church who made it possible for the boys to use the facilities of the church for many games, thus giving the farm teams the use of the Center School for their programs.

Rev. Donald Finley opened the banquet with a prayer and everybody enjoyed a turkey dinner served by members of the Sports and Athletic Committee who deserve a big round of applause for the manner in which they organized and ran these programs. This is all done voluntarily by businessmen who donate their time and talents so that there are sport programs for youngsters to participate in.

Mr. Twitchell awarded the trophies to the league champions, the Purple Panthers, coached by Craig Delano and assistant coach, Jack Meehan. Players were Peter Nelson, John Meehan, Danny Meehan, John Hutchins, Alan Marcoux, Robert Burbank, Robert Linhares and Michael Kelly.

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Cheerleaders were an added attraction this year for the All-Star team and this might have been one of the reasons the boys did so well, being cheered on by such cute young ladies as Donna Reilly, Debbie Caswell, Chris Cooper, Andrea Nelson and Carolyn Silveira. The girls were awarded trophies for their enthusiastic efforts.

Thanks also should be given to Ricky Nelson, Gayle Silveira and Bambi Mello for coaching the girls with their cheers.

RUMMAGE SALE

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Grange Activities

The Mattapoisett Grange held its bi-monthly meeting Thursday night with Otto Kellish, past master, as acting master in the absence of Mrs. Mildred LeBaron, worthy master.

Robert Ouellette, Sippican Pomona Master, honored guest, extended an invitation to the June 6th meeting at West Wareham for a memorial service. Helen Hathaway, lecturer of the Fairhaven Grange, sent an invitation to an open meeting May 14th, Boosters Night. The Fairhaven Dramatic Club is in charge of entertainment.

In the judging of the prettiest May Basket made by the ladies of the Grange Mrs. Marjorie Smith was the winner of the prize.

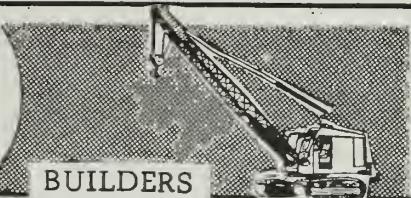
Mark Harris, associate member of the town Conservation Commission, was recognized and told of the Grange's interest in the promotion of conservation in all of its forms.

Mrs. Olive Gifford reported that 7 filled May Baskets were delivered to shut-in members. The Home and Community Service chairman, Dale Fearing, was in charge of the program. An Amway demonstration was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert LaFleur.

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Lecturer, Mrs. Barber, announced that the May 21st meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Marjorie Root.

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Two teenage girls have been reported as calling door-to-door in Mattapoisett with a petition for residents to sign. If anyone is inclined to sign they would do well to read the petition thoroughly. In condemning President Nixon the statement reportedly contains misstatements of United States purpose in Viet Nam.

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YWCA Activities

For the first time in many years the local YWCA is hostess to the New England Adult Conference next Saturday and Sunday, May 16 and 17. Mrs. William L. Jenney is chairman. All YWCA members are invited, and reservations must be made at once.

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A USO dance at Newport Naval YMCA is scheduled for 7:30 P.M.

On Sunday, at Seaman's Bethel at 11:00 A.M. there will be an ecumenical service followed by a tour of the Whaling Museum.

The entire program is open to Y members and the full program is available at the main desk.

Tickets are available now for a luncheon given by "Your congenial hostess, Alice Queen Navison" to benefit World Fellowship Fund, on May 20, at 12:30 P.M.

The entertainment program is not available at this time as Mrs. Navison is in Bermuda, but judging from previous luncheons everyone can look forward to an exciting afternoon.

Speaker for the Travel Club Friday evening at 8 will be Miss Jean Campbell, executive director, YWCA.

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13	2:22		2:58	7:46	8:10
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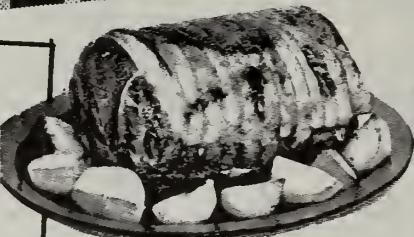
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